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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION IN THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF DYNAMIC RANDOM ACCESS MEMORY SEMICONDUCTORS FROM KOREA (102992 IS FED REG DATE)

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TO: REGIONAL DIRECTORS, COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS DISTRICT DIRECTORS, AREA AND PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION

RE: PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION IN THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF DYNAMIC RANDOM ACCESS MEMORY SEMICONDUCTORS FROM KOREA (102992 IS FED REG DATE)

1. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER
ON OCTOBER 29, 1992, THE NOTICE OF ITS PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION
THAT DYNAMIC RANDOM ACCESS MEMORY SEMICONDUCTORS OF ONE MEGABIT

AND ABOVE FROM THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA ARE BEING, OR ARE LIKELY TO BE, SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE.

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2. THE PRODUCTS COVERED BY THIS INVESTIGATION ARE ALL ONE MEGABIT AND ABOVE DYNAMIC RANDOM ACCESS MEMORY SEMICONDUCTORS

(DRAMS), WHETHER ASSEMBLED OR UNASSEMBLED. ASSEMBLED DRAMS INCLUDE ALL PACKAGE TYPES. UNASSEMBLED DRAMS INCLUDE PROCESSED WAFERS, UNCUT DIE AND CUT DIE. PROCESSED WAFERS PRODUCED IN KOREA BUT PACKAGED IN A THIRD COUNTRY ARE INCLUDED IN THE SCOPE: HOWEVER, WAFERS PRODUCED IN A THIRD COUNTRY AND ASSEMBLED OR PACKAGED IN KOREA ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE SCOPE. THE SCOPE INCLUDES MEMORY MODULES, SUCH AS SINGLE IN-LINE PROCESSING MODULES (SIPS) AND SINGLE IN-LINE MEMORY MODULES (SIMMS), THAT CONTAIN ONE MEGABIT OR ABOVE DYNAMIC RANDOM ACCESS MEMORY SEMICONDUCTORS THAT ARE ASSEMBLED TOGETHER AND FUNCTION AS MEMORY. MODULES THAT CONTAIN OTHER PARTS THAT ARE NEEDED TO SUPPORT THE FUNCTION OF MEMORY ARE CONSIDERED TO BE COVERED MEMORY MODULES. ONLY THOSE MODULES WHICH CONTAIN ADDITIONAL ITEMS WHICH ALTER THE FUNCTION OF THE MODULE TO SOMETHING OTHER THAN MEMORY ARE NOT-COVERED MODULES. THE SCOPE ALSO INCLUDES VIDEO RANDOM ACCESS MEMORY (VRAMS), AS WELL AS ANY FUTURE PACKAGING AND ASSEMBLING OF DRAMS.

THE DRAMS SUBJECT TO THIS INVESTIGATION ARE CLASSIFIABLE UNDER SUBHEADINGS 8473.30.4000, 8542.11.0001, 8542.11.0024, 8542.11.0026, AND 8542.11.0034 OF THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES (HTSUS). ALTHOUGH THE HTSUS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, OUR WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION IS DISPOSITIVE.

- 3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES, THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION NUMBER: A-580-812.
- 4. FOR ALL EXPORTS OF DYNAMIC RANDOM ACCESS MEMORY
 SEMICONDUCTORS OF ONE MEGABIT AND ABOVE FROM THE REPUBLIC OF
 KOREA, THE CUSTOMS SERVICE SHALL SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF SUCH
 PRODUCTS THAT ARE ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE ON OR
 AFTER

OCTOBER 29, 1992, AND SHALL REQUIRE A CASH DEPOSIT OR THE POSTING Message Date: 10/29/1992 Message Number: 3303113 Page 3 of 5

OF A BOND EQUAL TO THE ESTIMATED PRELIMINARY MARGIN PERCENTAGES LISTED BELOW:

MANUFACTURER/PRODUCER CUSTOMS IDENTIFICATION PRELIM MARGIN EXPORTER NUMBER PERCENTAGE

GOLDSTAR ELECTRON CO LTD &

GOLDSTAR ELECTRON AMERICA A-580-812-001 52.41

HYUNDAI ELECTRONICS CO LTD &

HYUNDAI ELECTRONICS AMERICA A-580-812-002 5.99

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO LTD &

SAMSUNG SEMICONDUCTOR INC A-580-812-003 87.40

ALL OTHERS A-580-812-000 61.88

- 4. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT THE IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION, OTHER AGENCY BRANCH, CUSTOMS HEADQUARTERS VIA E-MAIL ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB". OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT JOHN BECK, OFFICE OF ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATIONS, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AT (202) 482-3464.
- 5. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party